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Plant Records Meeting 2021: What are plant records?

ONLINE - Zoom

Wednesday 6th October 2021

Join us

The Plant Records Meeting is an annual PlantNetwork event which brings together all those working with or interested in plant records -from those new to the topic or those with a wealth of experience. An opportunity to share ideas, discuss developments and network (at least, virtually!)

Programme

09:30	Meeting opens	
09:30	Welcome and introductions [includes an ice-breaker]	
10:00	Session 1: What is the key information needed when recording plant collections?	
10:00	Presentation 1: What are the key data needed for plant records?	Speakers include Vicki Cooke (Plant Heritage), Alison Crook (National Trust) and Rupert Wilson (RHS)
10:30	Discussion 1: What is the most important information to include in a plant record? What system do you use to record this information?	Break out rooms
10:50	Report back on discussion session	
11:00	Short Break	
11:15	Session 2: How do you ensure you have the correct plant name – and suppliers who can provide the correct plant?	
11.15	Presentation 2: What's in a plant name?	Thomas Freeth, Acting Head of Plant Records, RBG Kew
11:35	Discussion 2: How can you ensure that the plant supplied is correctly named?	Break out rooms (facilitated)
11:50	Report back on discussion session	
12.00	Session 3: Plant health and plant passports – what role do these play in plant records?	
12.00	Presentation 3: Biosecurity, plant health and passports in plant records	Kirsty Wright, Plant Reception Coordinator, RHS
12:20	Discussion 3: Have you including plant health data in your plant records?	Break out rooms (facilitated)
12:40	Report back on discussion session	
12.50	Final word – participants have an opportunity to feedback on current projects they are involved in or request help/assistance	
13.15	CLOSE	

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